State of Arizona House of Representatives Forty-fifth Legislature Second Regular Session 2002

CHAPTER 221

HOUSE BILL 2507

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTIONS 28-2003 AND 28-5801, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION; RELATING TO TRAILER REGISTRATION.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona: Section 1. Section 28-2003, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

28-2003. <u>Fees; vehicle title and registration; identification</u> plate; definition

- A. The following fees are required:
- 1. For each certificate of title, salvage certificate of title, restored salvage certificate of title or nonrepairable vehicle certificate of title, four dollars.
- 2. For each certificate of title for a mobile home, seven dollars. The director shall deposit three dollars of each fee imposed by this paragraph in the state highway fund established by section 28-6991.
- 3. For the registration of a motor vehicle, eight dollars, except that the fee for motorcycles is nine dollars.
- 4. For a duplicate registration card or any duplicate permit, four dollars.
- 5. For each special thirty day nonresident registration issued under section 28-2154, fifteen dollars.
- 6. Except as provided in paragraph 7 of this subsection, for the registration of a trailer or semitrailer that is ten thousand pounds or less gross vehicle weight, eight dollars, and for the registration of a trailer or semitrailer that exceeds ten thousand pounds gross vehicle weight:
- (a) On initial registration, a one-time fee of two hundred forty-five dollars.
- (b) On renewal of registration OR IF PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED IN ANOTHER STATE, a one-time fee of:
- (i) IF THE TRAILER'S OR SEMITRAILER'S MODEL YEAR IS LESS THAN SIX YEARS OLD, one hundred forty-five dollars.
- (ii) IF THE TRAILER'S OR SEMITRAILER'S MODEL YEAR IS AT LEAST SIX YEARS OLD, NINETY-FIVE DOLLARS.
- 7. For the registration of a noncommercial trailer that is not a travel trailer and that is less than six thousand pounds gross vehicle weight:
 - (a) On initial registration, a one-time fee of twenty dollars.
 - (b) On renewal of registration, a one-time fee of five dollars.
- 8. For a transfer of a noncommercial trailer that is not a travel trailer and that is less than six thousand pounds gross vehicle weight, twelve dollars.
- 9. For each special ninety day resident registration issued under section 28-2154, fifteen dollars.
- 10. For each one trip registration permit issued under section 28-2155, one dollar.
- 11. For each temporary general use registration issued under section 28-2156, fifteen dollars.

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- 12. For each identification plate bearing a serial or identification number to be affixed to any vehicle, five dollars.
- B. For the purposes of this section, "travel trailer" means a trailer that is:
 - 1. Mounted on wheels.
- 2. Designed to provide temporary living quarters for recreational, camping or travel use.
- 3. Less than eight feet in width and less than forty feet in length. Sec. 2. Section 28-5801, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

28-5801. Vehicle license tax rate

- A. At the time of application for and before registration each year of a vehicle, the registering officer shall collect the vehicle license tax imposed by article IX, section 11, Constitution of Arizona. On the taxpayer's vehicle license tax bill, the registering officer shall provide the taxpayer with the following:
- 1. Information showing the amount of the vehicle license tax that each category of recipient will receive and the amount that is owed by the taxpayer.
- 2. The amount of vehicle license tax the taxpayer would pay pursuant to section 28-5805 if the taxpayer's motor vehicle was powered by alternative fuel.
 - B. Except as provided in subsections C and D of this section:
- 1. During the first twelve months of the life of a vehicle as determined by its initial registration, the vehicle license tax is based on each one hundred dollars in value, the value of the vehicle is sixty per cent of the manufacturer's base retail price of the vehicle and the vehicle license tax rate for each of the recipients is as follows:
- (a) The rate for the Arizona highway user revenue fund is one dollar twenty-six cents.
 - (b) The rate for the county general fund is sixty-nine cents.
- (c) The rate for counties for the same use as highway user revenue fund monies is sixteen cents.
 - (d) The rate for incorporated cities and towns is sixty-nine cents.
- 2. During each succeeding twelve month period, the vehicle license tax is based on each one hundred dollars in value, the value of the vehicle is 16.25 per cent less than the value for the preceding twelve month period and the vehicle license tax rate for each of the recipients is as follows:
- (a) The rate for the Arizona highway user revenue fund is one dollar thirty cents.
 - (b) The rate for the county general fund is seventy-one cents.
- (c) The rate for counties for the same use as highway user revenue fund monies is seventeen cents.
 - (d) The rate for incorporated cities and towns is seventy-one cents.

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- 3. The minimum amount of the vehicle license tax computed under this section is ten dollars per year for each vehicle that is subject to the tax. If the product of all of the rates prescribed in paragraph 1 or 2 of this subsection is less than ten dollars, the vehicle license tax is ten dollars. The vehicle license tax collected pursuant to this paragraph shall be distributed to the recipients prescribed in this subsection based on the percentage of each recipient's rate to the sum of all of the rates.
- C. The vehicle license tax is as follows for noncommercial trailers that are not travel trailers and that are less than six thousand pounds gross vehicle weight:
- 1. On initial registration, a one-time vehicle license tax of one hundred five dollars.
- 2. On renewal of registration, a one-time vehicle license tax of seventy dollars.
- D. The vehicle license tax is as follows for a trailer or semitrailer that exceeds ten thousand pounds gross vehicle weight:
- 1. On initial registration, a one-time vehicle license tax of five hundred fifty-five dollars.
- 2. On renewal of registration OR IF PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED IN ANOTHER STATE, a one-time vehicle license tax of:
- (a) IF THE TRAILER'S OR SEMITRAILER'S MODEL YEAR IS LESS THAN SIX YEARS OLD, three hundred fifty-five dollars.
- (b) IF THE TRAILER'S OR SEMITRAILER'S MODEL YEAR IS AT LEAST SIX YEARS OLD. ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.
- E. The vehicle license tax collected pursuant to subsection C or D of this section shall be distributed to the recipients prescribed in subsection B of this section based on the percentage of each recipient's rate to the sum of all of the rates.
- F. For the purposes of subsection C of this section, "travel trailer" has the same meaning prescribed in section 28-2003.

Sec. 3. Appropriation

The sum of \$200,000 is appropriated from the state highway fund in fiscal year 2002-2003 to the department of transportation for implementation costs.

Sec. 4. Retroactivity

Sections 28-2003 and 28-5801, Arizona Revised Statutes, as amended by this act, apply retroactively to from and after August 31, 2001.

Sec. 5. Emergency

This act is an emergency measure that is necessary to preserve the public peace, health or safety and is operative immediately as provided by law.

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